

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Soichiro Kemmochi, et al.

Serial No.: 10/585,986

Filed: July 13, 2006

For: METHOD OF ELONGATING OPTICAL FIBER BASE MATERIAL, AND  
APPARATUS FOR ELONGATING THE SAME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Group Art Unit: 3725

Examiner: Edward Thomas Tolan

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed March 3, 2010. A check for the extension fee in the amount of \$130.00 is attached. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Preliminary Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

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